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In re Application of:

Applicant: Christopher W. Smith, et al.

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For : **LOW PERMEATION HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE TUBE  
WITH ALUMINUM BARRIER LAYER**Commissioner of Patents  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

No amendments have been made to the specification.

Amendments to the claims appear in the Listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this amendment.

No amendments have been made to the drawings.

A Remarks section begins on page 5 of this amendment.